

Informal Hearing

10:00 a.m. August 20, 2010

Permit 1101978

Barnette Energy, LLC

Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy

Meeting at the mine site

1. **Informal hearing opened at 10:00 a.m. by Harve Mooney (DMME, conference officer)**
2. **Purpose of the meeting – address the issuance of Notice of Violation HNM0003670 (five violations).**
3. **No persons from the public attended.**
4. **Other persons present –DMLR Reclamation Enforcement Inspector Heather McDonald-Taylor.**
5. **Attendees were informed of the DMLR hearings process –**
 - **Permittee and Commenter would be informed in writing of the DMLR's decision on the violation as well as the right to administrative review of such.**
6. **Comments were received from Austin Barnette. Also present on the company's behalf were Terry Thacker, John Mullins and Landowner Ronnie Branscome.**
7. **There being no other persons wishing to submit comments, the conference was closed at 10:35 a.m.**